

## Massachusetts Department of Public Health COVID-19 Dashboard – Wednesday, March 9, 2022

## Count and Rate of Confirmed COVID-19 Cases and Tests Performed in MA by County, January 1, 2020 – March 8, 2022

County	Total Case Count	Case Count (Last 14 Days)	Average Daily Incidence Rate per 100,000 (Last 14 days)	Relative Change in Case Counts <sup>1</sup>	Total Tests	Total Tests (Last 14 days)	Total Positive Tests (Last 14 days)	Percent Positivity (Last 14 days)	Change in Percent Positivity <sup>2</sup>
Barnstable County	34532	279	9.2	Lower	734502	10964	342	3.12%	Lower
Berkshire County	22711	306	17.3	Lower	750129	14075	350	2.49%	Lower
Bristol County	148570	687	8.6	Lower	2407315	34014	806	2.37%	Lower
<b>Dukes and Nantucket Counties</b>	6751	27	6.7	Lower	127095	1594	33	2.07%	Lower
Essex County	202872	795	7.1	Lower	3813533	48475	978	2.02%	Lower
Franklin County	10331	131	13.1	Lower	387300	6651	151	2.27%	Lower
Hampden County	131638	698	10.6	Lower	2183567	32747	874	2.67%	Lower
Hampshire County	27025	575	25.0	Lower	1699954	43922	675	1.54%	Lower
Middlesex County	319275	3189	14.0	Lower	10953067	199491	3597	1.80%	Lower
Norfolk County	129303	903	9.0	Lower	3603648	54654	1045	1.91%	Lower
Plymouth County	114464	543	7.4	Lower	2050747	28907	637	2.20%	Lower
Suffolk County	207389	1840	16.2	Lower	7747938	133998	2053	1.53%	Lower
Worcester County	189907	1196	10.2	Lower	4467862	81868	1352	1.65%	Lower
Unknown <sup>3</sup>	1917	7	*	*	473890	6630	8	*	*
State	1546685	11176	11.5	Lower	41400547	697990	12901	1.85%	Lower

Data are current as of 11:59pm on 03/08/2022; ¹Number of new cases occurring over the current two-week period (02/20/2022 – 03/05/2022) compared to the previous two-week period (02/13/2022 – 02/26/2022). **Higher**=number of new cases in the current two-week period higher than the number of new cases during the last two-week period. **Lower**=number of new cases in the current two-week period lower than number of new cases during the last two-week period is equal to the number of new cases during the last two-week period. <sup>2</sup>Change in percent positivity compared to the previous week's (03/02/2022) report. **No Change**=<0.10% difference in the percent positivity. <sup>3</sup>Address information for these cases is currently being obtained. DPH calculates rates per 100,000 population using denominators estimated by the University of Massachusetts Donahue Institute using a modified Hamilton-Perry model (Strate S, et al. Small Area Population Estimates for 2011 through 2020, report, Oct 2016.) **Please note**: Data for these tables are based on information available in the DPH surveillance database at a single point in time. Case counts for specific cities and towns change throughout the day as data cleaning occurs (removal of duplicate reports within the system) and new demographic information (assigning cases to their city or town of residence) is obtained.